

02-28-00

GP 3628
5/C
3/8/00

O I P E. JC79
FEB 25 2000
PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of ERIC STANLEY AND KIRK STANLEY

Serial No.: 09/414,415

Filed: October 7, 1999

Title: FLUID SATURATED FOAM CONTAINER

) Examiner: A. Grosz

) Art Unit: 3628

)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Box Non-Fee Amendment

Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED

MAR - 2 2000

13600 MAIL ROOM

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 28, 1999, which set a shortened statutory period of three months, making any response due by March 28, 2000. Claims 1-6, 8-14, 16, and 17 are pending in this application, and Claims 1-6, 8-14, 16, and 17 stand rejected. This Amendment addresses all matters contained in the Office Action of December 28, 1999. Applicant respectfully traverses these rejections. Entry of this Amendment and reconsideration of the rejections in light of the arguments contained in this Amendment are respectfully requested.

REMARKS

The Examiner has requested that Applicant submit a PTO1449 listing the prior art of the parent application. The requested PTO 1449 is enclosed herewith.

The Examiner has further required that the first few lines at the top of page 1 be amended to provide the complete and correct parent application data. The Applicant thanks the Examiner for noting the necessary correction. The required amendment is